

The EIC Worksheet identifies the parents, the child, their relationship to the child, and the length of time the child lived with the parents during the tax year.

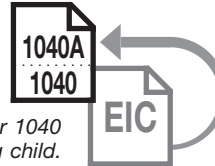
SCHEDULE EIC
(Form 1040A or 1040)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name(s) shown on return

Earned Income Credit
Qualifying Child Information

Complete and attach to Form 1040A or 1040
only if you have a qualifying child.



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2005

Attachment
Sequence No. **43**

Your social security number

Before you begin: See the instructions for Form 1040A, lines 41a and 41b, or Form 1040, lines 66a and 66b, to make sure that (a) you can take the EIC and (b) you have a qualifying child.



- If you take the EIC even though you are not eligible, you may not be allowed to take the credit for up to 10 years. See back of schedule for details.
- It will take us longer to process your return and issue your refund if you do not fill in all lines that apply for each qualifying child.
- Be sure the child's name on line 1 and social security number (SSN) on line 2 agree with the child's social security card. Otherwise, at the time we process your return, we may reduce or disallow your EIC. If the name or SSN on the child's social security card is not correct, call the Social Security Administration at 1-800-772-1213.

Qualifying Child Information

Child 1

Child 2

1 Child's name

If you have more than two qualifying children, you only have to list two to get the maximum credit.

First name

Last name

First name

Last name

2 Child's SSN

The child must have an SSN as defined on page 42 of the Form 1040A instructions or page 44 of the Form 1040 instructions unless the child was born and died in 2005. If your child was born and died in 2005 and did not have an SSN, enter "Died" on this line and attach a copy of the child's birth certificate.

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3 Child's year of birth

Year
If born after 1986, skip lines 4a and 4b; go to line 5.

Year
If born after 1986, skip lines 4a and 4b; go to line 5.

4 If the child was born before 1987—

a Was the child under age 24 at the end of 2005 and a student?

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Yes.

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No.

Go to line 5.

Continue

☐

Yes.

☐

No.

Go to line 5.

Continue

b Was the child permanently and totally disabled during any part of 2005?

☐

Yes.

☐

No.

Continue

The child is not a
qualifying child.

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Yes.

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No.

Continue

The child is not a
qualifying child.

5 Child's relationship to you

(for example, son, daughter, grandchild,
niece, nephew, foster child, etc.)

**6 Number of months child lived with
you in the United States during 2005**

- If the child lived with you for more than half of 2005 but less than 7 months, enter "7."
- If the child was born or died in 2005 and your home was the child's home for the entire time he or she was alive during 2005, enter "12."

..... months

Do not enter more than 12 months.

..... months

Do not enter more than 12 months.



You may also be able to take the additional child tax credit if your child (a) was under age 17 at the end of 2005, and (b) is a U.S. citizen or resident alien. For more details, see the instructions for line 42 of Form 1040A or line 68 of Form 1040.